

QUESTIONNAIRE
STUDENT EVALUATIONS OF THE FACULTY

PART A:

Currently, some departments at Western Kentucky University conduct student evaluations of the faculty within the department.

- 1) Does your department administer student evaluations of faculty members on a regular basis?

_____ yes _____ no

If your response to 1) is "no," GO TO PART B).

If your response to 1) is "yes," please indicate your opinions in reference to the remaining questions in PART A.

- 2) How often are these evaluations administered?

_____ each semester _____ each year _____ other (specify)

- 3) Who determines the questions that are included on your department's evaluation instrument?

_____ department head _____ departmental committee _____ don't know

- 4) Have the evaluation results accurately indicated the strengths and weaknesses of the faculty member?

_____ yes _____ no _____ don't know

- 5) Have these evaluations contributed to improvement in instruction and/or academic excellence?

_____ yes _____ no _____ don't know

- 6) Have the evaluations affected morale of the faculty within your department?

_____ yes _____ no _____ don't know

(If "yes," please specify whether beneficial _____ or detrimental _____.)

- 7) Have the evaluations contributed to grade inflation and/or a lowering of academic standards?

_____ yes _____ no _____ don't know

- 8) Who receives the results of these evaluations? (Check one or more.)

_____ the faculty member being evaluated _____ the department head
_____ other faculty within the department _____ interested students

- 9) Are the results of the evaluations used in determining recommendations concerning promotion, tenure, and/or salary increments?